

## Message Text

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5224

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EO 11652 NA  
TAGS: PINT, DR  
SUB: POLICE REPORT ON JCE BREAK-IN

REF: SANTO DOMINGO 3355,

1. POLICE COMMISSION APPOINTED TO INVESTIGATE PRE-DAWN  
JUNE 19 ROBBERY OF 3,000 BLANK VOTER IDENTIFICATION CARDS  
FROM CENTRAL ELECTORAL BOARD (JCE) HAS RENDERED REPORT  
POINTING FINGER AT JCE EMPLOYEES AS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE  
CRIME.

2. JULY 6 PRESS SAYS THE COMMISSION REPORT, ISSUED  
JULY 5, CONCLUDED THAT JCE EMPLOYEES COMMITTED THE THEFT  
THEMSELVES OR WERE INVOLVED IN IT AS ACCOMPLICES. WITHOUT  
NAMING NAMES OR ISSUING FORMAL CHARGES, REPORT WAS FORWARDED  
TO CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DEPARTMENT OF THE NATIONAL POLICE  
FOR FURTHER INVESTIGATION.

3. THE COMMISSION, MADE UP OF TWO POLICE GENERALS, CONCLUDED  
THAT OBJECTIVE OF THE THEFT WAS "TO MAKE MORE SCANDALOUS  
THE ALREADY SATURATED ELECTORAL ATMOSPHERE IN WHICH THE  
COUNTRY IS LIVING." IT ALSO OFFERED THE JUDGMENT THE THEFT  
CANNOT EFFECT THE OUTCOME OF THE MAY 16 ELECTIONS.  
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